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Dear David,

Just wanted to let you know how much I appreciated your very touching and supportive letter reguarding my column in Pride. For me it was a real ego boost to learn that maybe I said something five years ago that helped put you on that "road to freedom". For me the rewards of "the struggle" are not measured in terms of passed legislation, or propositions defeated, but rather in individual growth experiences like the one you shared in your letter. Surely you have given as much to me as I have given to you.

I hope you don't mind that I allowed Pride to print your letter and your name. I tried to reach you by phone to get your permission but I could not find a listing for you in the phone book or through directory assistance. I decided from the tone and strength of your letter that it would be OK. Please forgive me if I was wrong.

Thanks very much for sharing your thoughts with us all.

Yours in the struggle,

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